

HOUSE No. 3854

By Mr. Cabral of New Bedford, petition of Antonio F. D. Cabral relative to placing a conservation restriction on a certain parcel of land in the city of New Bedford. Bonding, Capital Expenditures and State Assets.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand and Five.

AN ACT RELATIVE TO CERTAIN STATE OWNED LAND LOCATED IN THE CITY OF NEW BEDFORD.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

1 Notwithstanding any special or general law to the contrary, the
2 land owned by the commonwealth under the jurisdiction of the
3 department of mental retardation located in the city of New Bed-
4 ford at 124 Maple Street, identified on city maps as parcel
5 ID number 45/237 and commonly known as “the Reed Estate”
6 with the exception of the portion of said land that is occupied by
7 its current structure, shall be preserved, under the purposes and
8 authority of Article XCVII of the Massachusetts Constitution,
9 with a conservation restriction. Said land shall not be used for
10 any other purpose or otherwise disposed of except by laws
11 enacted by two-thirds vote, taken by yeas and nays, of each
12 branch of the general court.